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Client Reference No. A 100 630 g  
Date: June 8, 2005

In re Application of: SCHAUER et al.  
Application No. 10/775,889  
Filed: February 2, 2004  
For: METHOD OF COATING THE SURFACE OF SUBSTRATES

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a reply to office action in the subject application.

- Small entity status is claimed for this application under 37 CFR 1.27.
- Petition for an extension of time for the period noted below, as well as for any additional period necessary to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.
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Respectfully submitted,

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### REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated December 8, 2004, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 5 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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